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RURAL HOUSING KNOWLEDGE NETWORK
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government provides access to the Rural Housing Knowledge Network Portal for the end user under Indira Awaas Yojana;

(b) if so, the number of users which have used this portal till date, State-wise;

(c) whether some complaints/cases have been received where adequate credit facilities are not available for the beneficiaries, if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government thereon;

(d) whether in some cases beneficiaries have been left out of the scheme due to lack of access to land; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a) Rural Housing Knowledge Network (RHKN) is an internet based portal with open access to all, including the end users under Indira Awaas Yojana. The portal offers updatable repository of housing construction materials, technologies and resource persons.

(b) No separate data is maintained in the Ministry regarding the number of users that have used the portal till date.

(c) & (d): No such instances have been brought to the notice of the Government.

(e) Does not arise.